THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

NA High Speed Meteor Scatter Winter Rally: 0000Z, Dec 11 to 0200Z, Dec 16
  Mode: Any
  Bands: 6, 2, 222
  Classes: Assisted
           Random Only
           Assisted Rover
           Random Only Rover
  Exchange: 4-character grid square
  Work stations: Once per band regardless of mode
  QSO Points: (see rules)
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total points
  Submit logs by: January 15, 2011
  E-mail logs to: kennedyjp[at]cableone[dot]net
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ykc.com/wa5ufh/Contests/2010%20Rules.htm

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: 0130Z-0330Z, Dec 15
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20m
  Classes: (none)
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (NAQCC No./power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
              2 points per QSO with member
  Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
               Key Type Mult: 2x if straight key, 1.5x if bug, 1x if other

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x key type mult
Submit logs by: 2359Z December 18, 2010
E-mail logs to: naqcc33[at]windstream[dot]net
Post log summary at: http://home.windstream.net/yoel/sprint_submit_log.html
Mail logs to: John Shannon, K3WWP
478 E. High St.
Kittanning, PA 16201
USA
Find rules at: http://home.windstream.net/yoel/sprint201012.html

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 15
Mode: CW
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 0330Z December 16, 2010
E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

QRP Fox Hunt: 0200Z-0330Z, Dec 17
Mode: CW
Bands: 40m Only
Classes: Single Op (Fox/Hound)
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + name + power output
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 0330Z December 18, 2010
E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Dec 17
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: (see rules)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: December 19, 2010
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/

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  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html

AGB-Party Contest: 2100Z-2400Z, Dec 17
  Mode: CW, SSB, Digital
  Bands: 80m Only
  Classes: Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)
           Multi-Op
           Digital
           SWL
  Exchange: AGB Member: RST + QSO No. + Member No.
            non-Member: RST + QSO No.
  Work stations: Once per mode per 15-minute period (see rules)
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same continent
              3 points per QSO with different continent
  Multipliers: Each AGB member once
               Each DXCC/WAE country once
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: January 7, 2011
  E-mail logs to: eu1eu[at]mail[dot]ru
  Mail logs to: Igor "Harry" Getmann, EU1EU
                P.O.Box 143
                Minsk 220005
                BELARUS
  Find rules at: http://www.ev5agb.com/contest/agb_party.htm

Russian 160-Meter Contest: 2100Z-2300Z, Dec 17
  Mode: CW, Phone
  Bands: 160m Only
  Classes: Single Op (Youth: born 1989 or later) (CW/Mixed)
           Single Op (Other) (CW/Mixed)
           Multi-Op (Youth: born 1989 or later) (CW/Mixed)
           Multi-Op (Other) (CW/Mixed)
  Max operating hours: 2 hours
  Exchange: RST + Serial No. + "/" + locator
  Work stations: Once per hour, once per mode
  QSO Points: Same locator square: 1 point
              Adjacent locator square: 2 points
              Other locator squares: 3 points
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: January 18, 2011
  E-mail logs to: contest[at]radio[dot]ru
  Mail logs to: Radio Magazine
                10 Seliverstov per.
                107045 Moscow
                Russia
  Find rules at: http://www.qrz.ru/contest/detail/90.html

OK DX RTTY Contest: 0000Z-2400Z, Dec 18
  Mode: RTTY
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band
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          Multi-Op
          SWL
  Max operating hours: 24 hours
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 100 watts
  Exchange: RST + CQ Zone
  QSO Points: 10-20m: 1 point same continent, 2 points different continent
              40-80m: 3 points same continent, 6 points different continent
  Multipliers: DXCC Countries, once per band
               OK stations, once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (DXCC mults + OK mults)
  Submit logs by: January 15, 2011
  E-mail logs to: okrtty[at]crk[dot]cz
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.crk.cz/ENG/DXCONTE.HTM

RAC Winter Contest: 0000Z-2359Z, Dec 18
  Mode: CW, Phone
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op CW
           Single Op Phone
           Single Op Single Band
           Multi-Single (Low/High)
           Multi-Multi
  Max operating hours: 24 hours
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: VE: RS(T) + (province/territory)
            non-VE and VE0: RS(T) + Serial No.
  QSO Points: VE/VE0: 10 points
              non-VE/VE0: 2 points
              RAC official stations: 20 points
  Multipliers: VE provinces and territories (13), once per mode per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: January 31, 2011
  E-mail logs to: canadawinter[at]rac[dot]ca
  Mail logs to: Radio Amateurs of Canada
                720 Belfast Road, Suite 217
                Ottawa, Ontario K1G 0Z5
                Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.rac.ca/en/rac/programmes/contests/files/
2010_Canada_Winter_Contest_Rules_English_and_French.pdf

Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party: 0001Z, Dec 18 to 2359Z, Jan 2
  Mode: Any
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: (none)
  Exchange: Members: Member No. + name + (state/province/country)
            Non-Members: Serial No. + name + (state/province/country)
            Lighthouse/Lightship: ARHLS No. + name + (state/province/country)
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
              2 additional points per QSO with member
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              3 additional points per QSO with lighthouse/lightship
              Bonus: x2 multiplier for all points if participant activated a
lighthouse/lightship
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: January 31, 2011
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Mail logs to: Dave Ruch, NF0J
                P.O. Box 20696
                Bloomington, MN 55420-0696
                USA
  Find rules at: http://arlhs.com/LCL-2010-guidelines.html

Croatian CW Contest: 1400Z, Dec 18 to 1400Z, Dec 19
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band (Low/High)
           Multi-Single
           SWL
  Max operating hours: 24 hours
  Max power: HP: 100 or more watts
             LP: <100 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + Serial No.
  QSO Points: Own continent: 2 points 40-160m, 1 point 10-20m
              Other continents: 6 points 40-160m, 3 points 10-20m
              9A stations: 10 points 40-160m, 6 points 10-20m
  Multipliers: DXCC/WAE Countries, once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: January 18, 2011
  E-mail logs to: 9acw[at]9acw[dot]org
  Mail logs to: Hrvatski RadioAmaterski Savez
                for Croatian CW Contest
                Dalmatinska 12
                10000 Zagreb
                Croatia
  Find rules at: http://www.9acw.org/index.php?
option=com_content&view=article&id=47:rules-2009&catid=39:english&Itemid=66

Stew Perry Topband Challenge: 1500Z, Dec 18 to 1500Z, Dec 19
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160m Only
  Classes: Single Op
           Multi-Op
  Max operating hours: 14 hours
  Max power: HP: >100 watts
             LP: 5-100 watts
             QRP: <5 watts
  Exchange: 4-Character grid square
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO plus 1 point per 500 km
              multiply QSO points by 2 if low power station
              multiply QSO points by 4 if QRP station
  Multipliers: Low power: x1.5
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               QRP: x3
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x power multiplier
  Submit logs by: January 31, 2011
  E-mail logs to: tbdc[at]contesting[dot]com
  Mail logs to: BARC
                15125 SE Bartell Rd
                Boring, OR  97009
                USA
  Find rules at: http://jzap.com/k7rat/stew.rules.txt

ARRL Rookie Roundup, CW: 1800Z-2359Z, Dec 19
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
  Classes: Single Op Rookie
           Non-Rookies
  Max power: 100 watts
  Exchange: NA: Name + 2-digit year first licensed + (state/province/XE area/DX)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-rookie
              2 points per QSO with rookie
  Multipliers: Each US state and DC once
               Each VE province once
               Each XE call area once
               One DX once
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: 2359Z December 22, 2010
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Post log summary at: http://www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup-score-submission
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/rookie-roundup

ARCI Holiday Spirits Homebrew Sprint: 2000Z-2400Z, Dec 19
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: All Bands
           Single Band
           High Bands
           Low Bands
           Multi-Op
           DX
  Max operating hours: 4 hours
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (ARCI number/power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: ARCI Member: 5 points
              Non-Member Different Continent: 4 points
              Non-Member Same Continent: 2 points
              Bonus points per band: 2000 for HB xmtr, 3000 for HB rcvr, 5000 for
HB transcvr
              Bonus points: 5000 for battery power portable with temporary antenna
(not once per band)
  Multipliers: States, once per band
               VE Provinces, once per band
               Countries, once per band
               Power Mult: x1 >5W, x7 1-5W, x10 250mW-1W, 15x 55-250mW, 20x <55mW
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  Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult) + bonus points
  Submit logs by: January 19, 2011
  E-mail logs to: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org
  Mail logs to: ARCI Holiday Spirits
                c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
                139 Elizabeth St. W.
                Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
                Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8108/118/

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest: 0200Z-0400Z, Dec 20
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Band
           All Band
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (Member No./power)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
              3 points per QSO with member on same continent
              5 points per QSO with member on different continent
  Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
               Multiply mults by 2 if >50 members worked
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: December 26, 2010
  E-mail logs to: (none)
  Upload log at: http://www.fpqrp.com/autolog.php
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.fpqrp.com/fpqrprun.php

NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

Lighthouse Christmas Lights QSO Party   0001Z, Dec 18 to 2359Z, Jan 2
SKCC Sprint   0000Z-0200Z, Dec 22
QRP Fox Hunt   0200Z-0330Z, Dec 22
QRP Fox Hunt   0200Z-0330Z, Dec 24
RAEM Contest   0000Z-1159Z, Dec 26
DARC Christmas Contest   0830Z-1059Z, Dec 26

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log
documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

QRP Fox Hunt: December 16, 2010
  E-mail: (see rules)
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

SKCC Weekend Sprint: December 17, 2010
  Post web summary: http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/

NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: December 18, 2010
  E-mail: naqcc33[at]windstream[dot]net
  Post web summary: http://home.windstream.net/yoel/sprint_submit_log.html
  Mail: John Shannon, K3WWP
         478 E. High St.
         Kittanning, PA 16201
         USA
  Find rules at: http://home.windstream.net/yoel/sprint201012.html

EPC Ukraine DX Contest: December 19, 2010
  E-mail: contest[at]ut7fp[dot]kiev[dot]ua
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://ut7fp.kiev.ua/2010epc-ukr-dx/epc-ukraine-dx-contest-rules.pdf

CQ Worldwide DX Contest, CW: December 21, 2010
  E-mail: cw[at]cqww[dot]com
  Mail: CQWW CW
         CQ Magazine
         25 Newbridge Road
         Hicksville, NY 11801
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.cqww.com/CQWW-Rules-2010.pdf
                 http://www.cqww.com/CQ_WW_Xtreme_Rules.pdf

Homebrew and Oldtime Equipment Party: December 21, 2010
  E-mail: hot[at]qrpcc[dot]de
  Mail: Lutz Gutheil, DL1RNN
         Bergstr. 17
         D-38446 Wolfsburg
         Germany
  Find rules at: http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules/hotr.html

EPC PSK63 QSO Party: December 21, 2010
  E-mail: ut7fp[at]srars[dot]org
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://eu.srars.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=66&Itemid=141

LZ DX Contest: December 21, 2010
  E-mail: lzdxc[at]yahoo[dot]com
  Mail: BFRA
         P.O. Box 830
         1000 Sofia
         Bulgaria
  Find rules at: http://lzdx.bfra.org/rulesen.html

MDXA PSK DeathMatch: December 25, 2010

E-mail summary: chucklem[at]comcast[dot]net
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.mdxa1.org/deathmatch.html

Kentucky QSO Party: December 31, 2010
E-mail: k4cms[at]aol[dot]com
Mail: Western Kentucky DX Association
P.O. Box 73
Alvaton, KY 42122
USA
Find rules at: http://www.wkdxa.com/mainsite/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=35&Itemid=56

JIDX Phone Contest: December 31, 2010
E-mail: ph[at]jidx[dot]org
Mail: JIDX Phone Contest
c/o Five-Nine Magazine
P.O. Box 59, Kamata
Tokyo 144-8691
Japan
Find rules at: http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html

All Austrian 160-Meter Contest: December 31, 2010
E-mail: hf-contest[at]oevsv[dot]at
Upload log at: http://contestrobot.aoec160m.oevsv.at
Mail: OEVSV-HQ
HF-Contest Manager
Eisvogelgasse 4/1
A-1060 Vienna
Austria
Find rules at: http://www.oevsv.at/export/oevsv/download/AOEC/Rules_AOEC_160m.pdf

TOPS Activity Contest: December 31, 2010
E-mail: yo2rr[at]clicknet[dot]ro
Mail: Ioan Branga YO2RR
Str. Imparatul Traian nr.2
RO-305500 LUGOJ
ROMANIA
Find rules at: http://www.procwclub.yo6ex.ro/TOP%20OF%20OPERATORS%20ACTIVITY%20CONTEST.pdf

Feld Hell Sprint: January 1, 2011
E-mail: (none)
Post web summary: http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests

TARA RTTY Melee: January 1, 2011
E-mail: (none)
Post web summary: http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara_melee_score.html
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.n2ty.org/seasons/tara_melee_rules.html

ARCI Topband Sprint: January 2, 2011
  E-mail: contest[at]qrparci[dot]org
  Mail: ARCI Top Band Sprint
         c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
         139 Elizabeth St. W.
         Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
         Canada
  Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/5267/118/

ARRL 160-Meter Contest: January 4, 2011
  E-mail: 160meter[at]arrl[dot]org
  Mail: 160 Meter Contest
         ARRL
         225 Main St.
         Newington, CT 06111
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/160-meter

AWA Bruce Kelley Memorial CW Contest: January 9, 2011
  E-mail: (no info)
  Mail: (no info)
  Find rules at: http://www.antiquewireless.org/hamevents2010.htm

ARRL 10-Meter Contest: January 11, 2011
  E-mail: 10meter[at]arrl[dot]org
  Mail: 10 Meter Contest
         ARRL
         225 Main St.
         Newington, CT 06111
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/10-meter

CQC Great Colorado Snowshoe Run: January 11, 2011
  E-mail: ki0rb[at]arrl[dot]net
  Mail: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.cqc.org/contests/snow2010.htm

International Naval Contest: February 1, 2011
  E-mail: df8ld[at]darc[dot]de
  Mail: MF-Runde e.V.
         Albert Homrighausen, DF8LD
         Am Fliederbogen 2
         D-24980 Schafflund
         Germany
  Find rules at: http://www.marinefunker.de/eng/show.php3?pos=15

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